

JORDAN AND HAMBURG LLP

122 East 42nd Street, New York, NY 10168

Tel: (212) 986-2340 Fax: (212) 953-7733

Customer No.: 000028107



Docket No.: <u>F-7305</u> Filing Date: <u>February 6, 2002</u>

## Certificate of Express Mailing Under 37 CFR 1.10 "Express Mail" label number: EV 021 743 366 US Date of Deposit: 2/6/02 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 in an envelope addressed to ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS, WASHINGTON, DC 20231 having the above "Express Mail" label number on the date of deposit indicated above. Madeline Gonzalez (Typed or printed name of person mailing paper or fee) THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D. C. 20231 [X] ATTN: BOX PATENT APPLICATION [ ] ATTN: BOX DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION [ ] ATTN: BOX PCT [ ] ATTN: BOX PROVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION [ ] THIS IS THE 35 U.S.C 371 NATIONAL STAGE OF \_\_\_\_\_ FILED Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the [X] Utility [ ] Design [X] nonprovisional [ ] provisional patent application of: Inventor / Application Identifier: Andreas VERWOLD [X] See Inventor Information Sheet attached MANUFACTURE OF A FOLDING TOP FOR A CONVERTIBLE For: [X] This is a new patent application. [ ] This is the 35 U.S.C. 371 National Stage Application of the above-identified PCT Application. [ ] This is a provisional patent application. [ ] This is a: [ ] Continuation Application [ ] Divisional Application [ ] Continuation-in-Part Application of prior Application Serial No. \_. [ ] Cancel in this application original claims \_\_\_ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.

Application

[ ] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

-- This is a [ ] Continuation, [ ] Divisional, [ ] Continuation-in-part, of

[ ] Incorporation By Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

ENIGI	OGED					
ENCLOSED ARE THE FOLLOWING:						
X	8	Sheets of drawings ([x] formal [ ] informal size A4).				
Х	13	Pages of specification including abstract and claims.				
Х	21	Total pages.				
	Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney					
		Newly executed				
		Copy from prior application				
		Inventors deleted; see attached statement				
3443	Sequence Listing					
が Pinesa Assistanti		Computer Readable Copy				
		Paper copy				
		Statement verifying identity of above copies				
X	Return Receipt Postcard					
-	Preliminary Amendment					
	Assignment to:					
. 1018 1018 1017		Assignment is of record in prior application Serial No				
Market State		Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet.				
		Charge \$40.00 to Deposit Account No. 10-1250 for recording Assignment.				
	Information Disclosure Statement					
	Information Disclosure Citation					
	English translation					
Х	Application Data Sheet					

PRIORITY CLAIMS						
	Applicant hereby claims the benefit of the filing date of the following provisional application(s) under the provision of 35 USC 119.					
	Applicant hereby claims the benefit under the provisions of 35 USC 119 of the filing dates of the following applications as indicated below:					
Х	Germany Patent Appln. No. 101 09 414.0, filed February 27, 2001, Priority Claimed					
	of which certified copies thereof					
Americant Annual Control	Х	will follow				
Selection Constant		are enclosed				
		have been filed in the International Bureau				
o nema k adam ha salik		were filed in prior application:				

CLAIMS FILED AND FILING FEE CALCULATION								
ITEM				Rate	Applied Fee			
[X] Base Fee - Non PCT	Base Fee - Non PCT —		\$740	\$740				
[ ] Base Fee - PCT IPEA-US	_		\$710					
[ ] Base Fee - PCT ISA-US				\$740				
[ ] Base Fee - PCT not ISA or IPEA			\$1,040					
[ ] Base Fee - PCT with EPO or JPO Search Report			\$890					
[ ] Base Fee - Design			\$330					
[ ] Base Fee - Provisional	_		\$160					
Claim Fees	Number Filed	Base Number	Number Extra over Base					
Total Claims	1	20	0	\$18	\$0			
Independent Claims	1	3	0	\$84	\$0			
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee	_			\$280	\$0			
[ ] Small Entity Status is Asserted					(\$0)			
[X] Foreign Language Filing Fee				\$130	\$130			
TOTAL FILING FEE \$								

- [X] Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-1250 in the amount of the above TOTAL FILING FEE. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- [X] Please charge to Deposit Account No. 10-1250 any further fees due for filing or during prosecution of this application under: 37 CFR 1.16; 37 CFR 1.17; and 37 CFR 1.492.

JORDAN AND HAMBURG LLP

Frank J. Jordan

Reg. No. 20,4%
Attorney for Applicant

## **DECLARATION TO FOLLOW**

## INVENTOR INFORMATION SHEET

Docket Number: F-7305

Title: MANUFACTURE OF A FOLDING TOP FOR A CONVERTIBLE

Filing Date: 2/6/02

1. Full Name of Inventor Andreas VERWOLD	Family Name VERWOLD	First Given Name <b>Andreas</b>	Second Given Name
Citizenship Germany	Residence City Hasbergen	Residence State or Province	Residence Country Germany
Postal Address Holunderweg 5	City <b>Hasbergen</b>	Province/State	Postal Code/Country 49205 Germany